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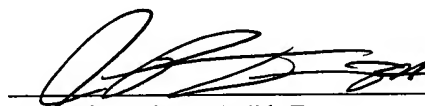
LETTER REGARDING PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT

The Patent Term Adjustment (PTA) calculation included in the notice of allowance mailed March 20, 2006, for the above-referenced application indicates the PTA is 386 days. This PTA appears to be longer than appropriate.

Applicant believes that no fee is due at this time. Any fees that may be due, however, may be applied to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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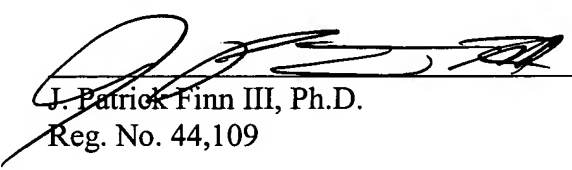
RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed March 20, 2006, enclosed are a completed issue fee transmittal form PTOL-85b and a check for \$1030 for the required issue fee and publication fee, including patent copies. Also enclosed is a letter Regarding Patent Term Adjustment.

Please apply any additional charges or credits to our Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

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